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BOMBAY GAZETTE OFFICE,
Friday, 14th February 1862.

EXCHANGE.

On what Place	Terms.	Rates.
London (Credits)	6 months' sight	2s. 03d/16d.
Do. Documents	Do. do.	2s. 03d.
Do. Bank Rates	Do. do.	2s. 03d.
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	Rs.		
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Mercantile Bank	250	5 do.	24
Oriental Bank of W. India	150	2½ do.	2 Discount.
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,, (Seeds)	£3	0s.	0d.	£3	2s. 6d.
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,, (Seeds)	£2	10s.	0d.	£2	12s. 6d.
To China	Nominal.				
To Clyde	£3	5s.	0d.		

PRICES CURRENT (FEBRUARY 12th, 1862.)

COTTON at Colaba:		Per candy.
Old Broach, and Surat,	Nom.	
Dholleras,	Rs.	170 to 175
Comawuttee	,,	170 to 175
Compta,	,,	174 to 175
Dharwar Sawginned	,,	235 to 236
New Sanoe, and Nuggur	,,	190 to 192
Kh andeish,	,,	180 to 185
NEW COTTON to Arrive:		
Broach and Surat (April and May)	,,	196 to 197
Dholleah ,, Do.	,,	181 to 182
Comawuttee (March and April)	,,	179 to 180
Yamvole ,, Do.	,,	168 to 178
Dharwar Sawginned ,, May	,,	236 to 237
OPIUM—Malwa, Rs. 1500 to 1505.		
SEEDS—Linseed, Cleanlish	at Rs.	5-11 to 5-12 per cwt.
Rapeseed, Gunzeet	,,	6-8 to 6-10
Gingelly mixed (Black and White)	,,	24 to 25
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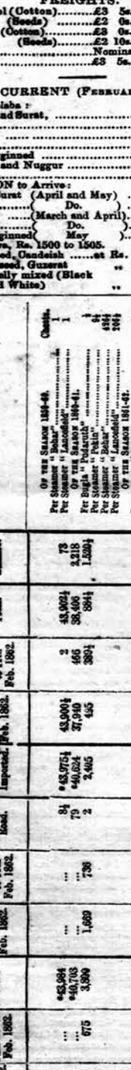


THE SEED AND OIL MARKET.

(From Rose, Graham and Wilson's Market Report.)

LONDON, *January 17th* 1862.

During the week business in our markets has been on the most limited scale, in this respect, our trade has not been solitary.

LINSEED.—Arrivals for the week have been 11,236, qrs.; consisting of 8,166 qrs. from the East Indies, 2,550 qrs. from the Black Sea, and 520 qrs. from Alexandria; owing to the unusual mildness of the season, coupled with rather heavy arrivals off the coast from the Black Sea and Azoff, our maket is depressed, and prices are a shade lower; Bombay on the spot cannot now be quoted over 65s. 6. per quarter, and Calcutta 68s. @ 68s. as to quality, cost, freight and insurance, including bags, the value of the latter description for arrival is 57s. @ 58s. as to distance, and to effect sales of Black Sea cargoes now off the coast 58s. 6d. must be accepted, and about 10,000 quarters for spring shipment have been sold at 55s. delivered U.K. Our importation into London since the 1st instant has been 19,117 quarters against 36,459 quarters same time last year.

LINSEED OIL is scarce, the production being unremunerative to crushers, in consequence of which most mills are running short time; on the spot there are no sellers under £34 per ton, and £33 15s. for monthly deliveries up to March. In Hull the market is firm at £33 10s., and the export from thence for the week 150 tons, against 15 tons last year.

LINSEED CAKES.—The weather militates against demand, at our quotations sellers predominate.

RAPE & OIL SEEDS.—We are still without stocks of Rape Seed, and continue our quotations of 64s. per qr. Calcutta, and 69s. @ 70s. for Bombay Guzerat; Feroospore and Scinde 62s. @ 66s.; Teel or Gingelly is worth 56s. @ 70s. for White, and 66s. @ 68s. for Brown or Mixed; Poppy 58s.; Niger 51s. @ 52s.

RAPE & SEED OILS are in demand, Brown Rape being worth £44 @ £44 10s. per ton, and Refined £46 10s. @ £47; Bombay Gingelly £43; Ground Nut £44 @ £45.

OLIVE OILS.—The feeling in the market has somewhat improved, both on the spot and for shipments; small sales of Gallipoli have been made at £59 per ton, down to £58 for Mogadore. For spring shipment £48 has been paid for Gallipoli free on board, and £50 10s

@ £51 is demanded cost, freight and insurance to the Baltic, Tarento 15s. @ 20s. per ton less.

COCOA NUT OIL.—There is an absence of business, and prices nearly nominal; we quote Cochin £49 10s.; and Ceylon £48 10s. per ton, Sydney £47 downwards, as to quality.

PALM OIL is of slow and difficult sale, at £42 10s. @ £42 per ton fine Lagos.

TALLOW.—The market is depressed and again lower, on the spot there are sellers of New Petersburg Yellow Candle at 48s. 6d. per cwt., at 48s. 3d. January to March, and 48s. 9d. for March only.

FISH OILS.—Pending uncertainty as to our Cotton supplies, there is not disposition to purchase Sperm Oil, the nominal question is £95 @ £96 per ton; Pale Southern £36; Pale Seal and Cod £41.

WHALEBINS.—Beyond the sale of two cargoes Davis' Straits (one for exportation) at £365 per ton, free on board at Scotch ports, we have not heard of any transactions.

NAVAL STORES.—We have no arrivals or sales of Rough Turpentine to report, and Spirits are neglected at 70s. per cwt. for American in barrels; for Rosin there is an improved demand, common is worth 13s. 9d. @ 14s. per cwt.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

Head Office—No. 20, Threadneedle St., London.
Paid up Capital—£644,000.

London Bankers, { The Bank of England. / The City Bank.
Branches and Agencies at
Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, and Shanghai.

BOMBAY AGENCY.

EXCHANGE.

THE Bank's Agency in Bombay grants Bills of Exchange on THE CITY BANK, London, at the following rates viz:—

6 months' sight (not under £30) at	2s. 01d. per Rupee.
4 Do.	at 2s. 01d. ,,
3 Do.	at 2s. 01d. ,,
2 Do.	at 1s. 11½d. ,,
1 Do.	at 1s. 11½d. ,,
On demand	at 1s. 11½d. ,,

All drafts to be paid for, on delivery, at the Bank's Office.

DEPOSITS.

Interest is allowed on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at 2 per cent. per annum, on the daily balance, and on FIXED DEPOSITS, as follows:—
Repayable in one sum, at 3 months' notice, 4 percent.
Do. do. 6 ,,
Do. do. 12 ,,

No interest allowed on Current Account Balances under Rs 1,000 nor on Deposits above Rs. 50,000, unless by special arrange ment.

REMITTANCE.

The Bank's Agency undertakes to remit Drafts or Hoondies on its Presidency without charge, for remittance to Europe in the Bank's Bills on the City Bank, London.

Bills, Drafts, or Hoondies remitted for realisation, to be made payable to the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China or order.

COMMISSION.

On the sale or purchase of Government Paper, Bank Stock, and other securities 1 per cent. on the amount realised or invested.

The Bank receives Government and other Securities for safe custody, free of charge, the Interest or Dividends thereon being credited to account, or remitted home in the Bank's Bills.

On Interest, or Dividends, or on proceeds of Securities by Sale, 1 per cent. commission charged, if the amounts be paid in India; if remitted home by the BANK, no commission charged.

On returning Securities out of safe custod 4 per cent. Commission:

Hours of business	10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Saturdays	10 A. M. to 1 P. M.

EDWIN HEYCOCK,
Bombay, 16th January 1863. Manager.

THE AGRA AND UNITED SERVICE BANK, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED IN INDIA IN 1833.
Incorporated June 1857, by Letters Patent under the 7 and 8 Victoria, C. 112.

Head Office—No. 29, Threadneedle St., London.
BRANCHES AT CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, MADRAS, AGRA, LAHORE KURRACHEE, UMRITSUR, DELHI, MEERUT, HONG-KONG and EDINBURGH.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £2,000,000 (TWO MILLIONS STERLING.)
PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,000,000 (ONE MILLION STERLING.)
RESERVE FUND, £200,000 (TWENTY LAKES OF RUPEES.)

THE BOMBAY MANAGER of the AGRA AND U. S. BANK, LIMITED, is authorised to draw on the undermentioned establishments:—
THE LONDON & WESTMINSTER BANK.
THE ROYAL BANK OF SCOTLAND (and Branches).
THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND (and Branches).
THE NATIONAL BANK OF IRELAND (and Branches.)
THE BOMBAY BRANCH, makes advances on the pledge and deposit of Government Paper.
The Bank grants Circular Notes negotiable in Egypt and the Continent of Europe. The following are the current r tes of Exchange:—

On London at 6 months' sight	2s. 01d.
,, 4 months' sight	2s. 01d.
,, 3 months' sight	2s.
,, 2 months' sight	1s. 11½d.
,, 1 month's sight	1s. 11½d.
,, On demand	1s. 11½d.
On Scotland	1s. 11½d.
On Ireland	
Circular Notes	1s. 11½d.

The London General Manager will generally, if desired, be prepared to discount the Bank's Bills at the current rate of the day.

The Bank also grants Bills and grants Drafts payable at Calcutta, Agra, Madras, Lahore, Kurrachee, Umritsur, Hong-Kong, and Shanghai.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

1. On Floating, or Current, Deposits, payable on demand of not less than Rs. 1,000, or more than Rs. 50,000 per cent. per annum.
2. On Fixed Deposits at 3 months' notice, 3 per cent per annum.
3. On Fixed Deposits at 6 months' notice, 4 per cent. per annum.
4. On Fixed Deposits at 12 months' notice, 5 per cent. per annum.

Fixed Deposits may generally be availed of for the Bank's Bills on London at sight.

Notice of withdrawal can be given at the time of depositing the money, or at any time thereafter.

Interest is credited to Deposit accounts half-yearly.

No Interest allowed on Current Account Balances under Rs. 1,000 or over Rs. 50,000, unless by special agreement.

The Funds of all public bodies connected with the Services and of such other Societies as the Directors may consider eligible for the same privilege, will be reserved by the Bank at the highest rate of interest for the time being, subject to modified conditions.

The Bank reserves to itself the right of paying off all interest deposits, and of modifying the terms thereof, on giving one month's notice.

Parties making remittances to the Banks should specify distinctly the Account or Accounts to which the same are to be credited. *Accuracy in this respect is particularly desirable.*

COMMISSION.

The Bank takes charge of Government Securities, Shares in Banks and other Companies without charge, and realizes the Interest and Dividends, for which a charge will be made of 1 per cent.

On returning Government Paper or other Securities out of safe custody, a charge will be made of 1 per cent.

On the purchase or sale of Government Securities and Bank or other Stock, 1 per cent.

To obviate disappointment to parties at a distance purchasing the Bank's Bills on England, which might reach them too late for despatch by first Mail, it is hereby notified that the Bank will, when requested, remit the proceeds of Exchange direct, on being furnished with the correct address of the party at Home to whom the remittance is to be sent.

All Orders or Hoondies should be made payable to the Manager of the Agra & U. S. Bank, Limited, or order, and the letters enclosing them should specify the name of the person to whom the Remittance is to be made, *(if to a Lady, her Christian name or name in full,)* and the sight at which the Bills are to be drawn.

NOTICE.—The Bank will obtain registry of Promissory Notes of the several Loans of the Indian Government, and enfacement for payment of the Interest in London.

Drafts for interest on such Government Promissory Notes, on the Treasuries of Calcutta and Madras, will be received for encashment at current rates of Exchange, or for realisation in India, at the Head Office of the Bank in London, where consignments can also deposit their securities for safe custody.

Parties are requested to address "*The Manager of the Agra and United Service Bank, Limited, Bombay,*" and to make all Orders or Hoondies payable to him.

A Branch of the Bank has been lately established at Kurrachee (H. E. W. Baker, Manager) for the transaction of business in all its Branches.

H. B. MACCULLOCH,
Bombay, 13th January 1863. Manager.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

BOMBAY AGENCY.

EXCHANGE.

THE CORPORATION grant Drafts on London on Demand, and at from one day to six months' sight, and Drafts on Scotland and Ireland on demand; also Circular Notes negotiable in Egypt, Syria, the Continent of Europe, New York, the West Indies, Australia, New Zealand, and the Cape of Good Hope.

The Current Rates of Exchange are:—

On London at 6 months' sight	2s. 01d. per Rupee.
,, 4 do.	2s. 01d. do.
,, 3 do.	2s. 01d. do.
,, 2 do.	1s. 11½d. do.
,, on demand	1s. 11½d. do.
On Scotland do.	1s. 11½d. do.
On Ireland do.	
On Paris, at 3 days' sight	1s. 11½d. do.

Circular Notes payable throughout Europe 1s. 11½d. do.
The Bank grants 6 months' sight accounts for sums under £30 Sums under £30 are only drawn for payable on demand.
Drafts are also granted on Calcutta, Madras, Ceylon, Hongkong, Singapore, Mauritius, Melbourne, and Sydney.
The Corporation purchase or collect Bills payable in Europe or in Calcutta, Madras, Ceylon, Hongkong, Singapore, Mauritius, Melbourne, and Sydney.

DEPOSITS.

The Corporation receive Deposits on the following terms:—
Repayable on demand, in sums of Rs. 100 and upwards ..... 2 per ct. per annum.
Do. in one sum, at 3 months' notice ..... 3 ,, ,,
Do. do. 6 do. ..... 4 ,, ,,
Do. do. 12 do. ..... 5 ,, ,,

No interest allowed on Deposits under Rs. 1,000, nor on deposits over Rs. 50,000, *unless by special arrangement.*

EXCHANGE.

The Corporation undertake to remit money to Europe by each Overland Mail, free of charge.

Parties are requested to make all Orders or Hoondies payable to "*The Oriental Bank Corporation or Order,*" and to state distinctly the name and address of the person to whom the Remittance is to be made, *(if to a Lady, her Christian name or names in full,)* and the sight at which the Bills are to be drawn.

COMMISSION.

The rate of Commission charged by this Agency on the purchase or sale of Government Securities negotiable in Bombay, is ½ per cent. on the amount invested or realised, and on the collection of Bills, one per cent. and Postage.

The Corporation take charge of Government Paper, Shares in the Bank of Bombay, and other local Stocks, free of all charges, and will draw Interests and Dividends on the same as they fall due, on the following terms:—
If to be remitted through the Corporation... Without charge.
If to be paid in India, a Commission will be charged of ..... ½ per cent.
On returning Government Paper out of safe custody ..... ½ per cent.

Hours of business	10 to 4 o'clock.
Saturday	10 to 1 do.

KURRACHEE SUB-AGENCY.

Messrs. Finlay and Co. will grant drafts on the Corporation at Kurrachee, payable in Rupees in Madras and Bombay.
Bombay 1st January 1861.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA.

EXCHANGE.

THE Bank grants Drafts on London, and on Scotland and Ireland, als o Circular Notes negotiable in Egypt, Syria, and the principal Towns in of Europe, at the following current rates of Exchange:—

On London, at 6 months' sight	2s. 01d.	per Rupee.
,, 4 do.	2s. 01d.	,,
,, 3 do.	2s. 0d.	,,
,, 2 do.	1s. 11½d.	,,
,, 1 do.	1s. 11½d.	,,
On demand	1s. 11½d.	,,
On Scotland	1s. 11½d.	,,
On Ireland do.		
Circular Notes for the use of Travellers on the Continent and to Europe, Overland, at 1 day's sight	1s. 11½d.	,,

Drafts at 6 months' sight are not granted for less than £50, and amounts under £30 are only drawn for payable on demand.

The Bank also purchases Bills and grants Drafts payable in Calcutta, Madras, Ceylon, Hongkong, Canton, Shanghai, Singapore, Penang, and Mauritius.

Bills collected at any of the above places at an uniform charge including postages, of one per cent.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Accounts ..... 2 percent.
On Deposits payable on demand, subject to a commission of ½ per cent. on amounts withdrawn ..... 4 ,,
Deposits for 3 months ..... 4 ,,
Do. do. 6 do. ..... 5 ,,
Do. do. 12 do. ..... 6 ,,

No interest allowed on Current Account Balances under Rs. 1,000 or on Deposits over Rs. 50,000, unless by special agreement.

Hoondies paid or cash received under Rs. 20.

COMMISSION.

The Bank takes charge of Government Securities, Shares in Banks and other Companies, without charge, and realises Interest and Dividends thereon on the following terms:—
If to be remitted in the Bank's Drafts, without charge.
If to be paid in India, a Commission will be charged of ½ per cent.
On returning Government Paper, or Share Certificates not of safe custody, or upon sold, on paying the proceeds of such sale in India, a commission will be charged of ½ per cent. But if proceeds are emitted on the Bank's Drafts, without charge.
Commission charged on purchase and sale of Government Securities and Shares, ½ per cent.

HARRY JOHN,
Bombay, 3rd January 1863. Agent.

Shipping Intelligence.

BOMBAY.

Arrivals.

DATE.	SHIPS.	COMMANDERS.	FROM
Feb. 13	Taptee (s)	Ellis	Surat 12 Feb.
	Star of India	Morris	Portsmouth 26 Sept
	Lobelia	Joblin	Liverpool 11 Oct.)
	Earl Balcarres	Simonds	London 9 Oct.
	Beloochee	Mitchell	Liverpool 23 Oct.

Departures.

DATE.	SHIPS.	COMMANDERS.	TO
Feb. 13	Lauderdale	Bowers	London.
	Carnac (s)	Van Wullen	Surat.
	Victoria (s)	Nacoda	Wagootana Vingeria and Surat.
	Maharaj (s)	Parker	Surat.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

Per steamer *Taptee*, from Surat.—77 natives.

Per ship *Star of India*, from Portsmouth.—Mrs. Fryer, two children and servant; Miss Plunkett; Captain Wauchope; Lieut. Morland, I. N.; Mr. C. Bentley; Mrs. Buchanan; Miss Corbett; and Mr. John Simpson.

PASSENGERS SAILED.

Per steamer *Sir J. Carnac*, to Surat.—88 natives.

Per steamer *Maharaj*, to Surat.—Mr. and Mrs. Bayly; Moonshee Ali Acbar Bahdoor, and 152 natives.

Port Clearance.

The following vessels obtained their port clearance yesterday:—

P. and O. Co.'s Steamer *Behar*, G. Brooks, bound to China, &c.

Steamer *Robert Lowe*, W. Congleton, bound to London.

Commenced Loading.

The following vessels began to load yesterday:—
Ship *Madge Wildfire*, for Liverpool.
Ship *Agenoria*, for Liverpool.
Ship *Black Eagle*, for Liverpool.
Ship *Jessore*, for Bordeaux via Coast.

IMPORT MANIFESTS.

From Liverpool.

Adriatic.—1,060 Tons Coals.

From Sunderland.

Graca Darling.—1,327 tons and 13 cwt. Coals.

Walsaken.—583 Tons Coals.

From Calcutta.

Glen Isla.—6,177 bags Sugar, 5,614 bags Rice, 1 case Iron Chests, 1,200 bales Gunnies, 5 cases Flower Oil, 1 case Piece Goods, 907 bales Jute, 1 keg Tobacco, 6 bags Preserves, 2 hhds. Rum, 8 cases Sundries, 200 slabs Tin.

From London.

Pride of the Ocean.—3,922 plates Speltier, 21 cases Sherry, 8 cases Port, 98 cases Wine, 40 cases Yellow Metals, 28 cases Machinery, 205 cases Copper, 16,691 packages Iron, 186 pieces Wheels, 18 cases Gin, 3 casks Ivory, 3,549 packages Merchandise, 90 boxes Gunpowder, 1 case Gun and Rifle, 259 cases Ale, 46 packages Acid, 1 keg Tar, 1 bale Linens, 100 packages Oil of Vitriol, 4 cases Printing Press, 22 packages Sundries, 140 casks Chalk, 2 cases Soap, 24 packages Samples, 750 kegs Steel.

From Cochin.

Nassarool Ahmud.—35 nos. Beams, 270 nos. Planks, 110 logs Bentenak Timber.

From Hongkong.

Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy.—80 chests Silk, 1,661 half chests Tea, 5176 bags Sugar, 506 tubs Sugar Candy, 4 boxes Silk Piece Goods, 4 packages Sundries, 1,101 chests Cassia, 6 casks Cassia, 600 chests Cracknee, 13 bundles Old Copper, 6 boxes Glass Beads, 4 boxes White Copper, 96 bags Coolagam, 8 chests Preserves, 32 boxes Glass Bangles, 4 casks Tobacco, 8 bundles Tea, 1 trunk Cloths, 1 box Lacquered ware, 1 box Marble Slate, 1 box Toys, 1 box Chinaware.

DAILY EXPORTS.

BOMBAY, Thursday, 13th February 1862.

For London.

Gibson Craig.—500 bales Cotton, 1,750 cwt, W. Nicol and Co.: 240 bags Country Gall, 300 cwt., Jairam Visram.

Caroline Agnes.—171 chests Dry Ginger, 222 cwt., Mooljee Jeatha; 150 bales Cotton, 195 cwt., Soondersdas Mooljee; 200 bales Cotton, 700 cwt., D. H. Cama and Co.

Vernon.—400 bales Cotton, 1,400 cwt., W. Nicol and Co.; 196 bags Linseed, 294 cwt., A. Bell and Co.: 67 cases Olibanum, 11½ cwt., G. Pollexfin and Co.

Steamer *Robert Lowe.*—1 case Hydrabad work, Robert T. Crossley.

For Liverpool.

Natolia.—150 bales Cotton, 525 cwt., Nesserwanjee Jehangirjee Wadia; 155 bales Cotton, 542½ cwt., Khuddapa Goolway; 40 bales Wool, 120 cwt., Damjee Hunsraj; 50 bales Wool, 150 cwt., Permanund Moolchund.

Mindora.—105 bales Cotton, 367½ cwt., Narunjee Sewjee.

Crescent City.—50 bales Wool, 150 cwt., Dyallduss Bishanmull.

Madge Wildfire.—500 bags Jingilliseed, 750 cwt., Hirjee Khimjee.

Faronia.—500 small bags Linseed, 250 cwt., Combier Son and Co.

Agincria.—600 packages Linseed, 900 cwt., Visram Kessowjee.

Maxwell.—50 bales Wool, 150 cwt., Nesserwanjee Manockjee.

Herald.—20 bales Cotton, 70 cwt., Pestonjee Bomunjee; 50 bales Wool, 150 cwt., Gangjee Damoder.

Mornington.—48½ bales Cotton, 145¼ cwt., Jairam Visram; 50 bales Wool, 150 cwt., Mirchund Roopchund; 56 bales Wool, 168 cwt., Hurry Ranjee.

Tudor.—85 bales Wool, 225½ cwt., Goculdass Cullianjee and Co.; 6 bales Wool, 18 cwt., Morazmull Bhoolchund; 20 bundles Nuxuomica, 10 cwt., Khimjee Visram; 440 bundles Gall, 220 cwt., 40 bundles Jarcuchoora, 20 cwt., Khimjee Visram; 750 bundles Coir Yarn, 150 bundles Vithuldass Gooculdass.

Red Jacket.—111 bags Linseed, 166½ cwt., Virjee Pursotum; 315 bundles Gall, 157½ cwt., Vithuldass Gooculdas.

Bosphorus.—500 bundles Linseed, 250 cwt., 500 bundles Linseed, 250 cwt., Nensy Damjee.

Clara Wheeler.—1,000 bales Cotton, 3,500 cwt., John Clover and Co.; 500 bales Cotton, 1,750 cwt., Eduljee Nesserwanjee; 250 bales Cotton, 875 cwt., Hirjee Bhimjee.

Rubin.—55 bales Cotton, 192½ cwt., Hurgovundass Pranjeevundass; 850 bundles Coir Yarn, 125 cwt., Mezjee Muckundass.

Tornelace.—200 bales Cotton, 700 cwt., Campbell Mitchell and Co.; 300 bales Cotton, 1,050 cwt., Merwanjee Framjee; 300 bales Cotton, 1,050 cwt., Goculdass Madhowjee; 30 bales Wool, 90 cwt., Godoo Premjee; 200 bales Cotton, 700 cwt., Jeatha Ludhany; 20 bales Wool, 90 cwt., Muthoorradass Ragoojee.

Black Eagle.—600 bags Linseed, 900 cwt., J. P. Cornforth and Co.

For Bordeaux.

Jessore.—97 packages Coffee, 108 cwt. 1 qr. 7 lbs., 1 small bag Sample of Coffee, F. Mialle and Co.

For Hongkong.

Steamer *Lancefield.*—206 bundles Sharkfins, 64½ cwt., Peerbhoy Khimjee; 3 cases Cambay Stones, Ludha Dewjee; 23 chests M. Opium, 200 lbs. each, Ebram Noordin and Co.; 100 bundles Sharkfins, 8¼ cwt., Rahoobhoy Hirjee: 77 bundles Fishmaws, 8 cwt, 1 qr, 14 lbs., Peer Muhomed Nuthoo; 1 chest M. Opium, 140 lbs. Gumbermull Saramull; 26 packages Dry Chillias, 23½ cwt., Esmail Ahmud Moosy; 210 bundles Sharkfins, 62 cwt. 3 qrs. 7 lbs., Fazul Mahomed Essa; 49 bundles Sharkfius 15½ cwt., 4 bundles Fishmaws, 1½ cwt., Fazul Mahomed; 41 bundles Sharkfins, 12 cwt. 3 qrs, 7 lbs., 17 bundles Fishmaws, 5 cwt. 1 qr. 16 lbs., Meeralty Dama; 9 bundles Fishmaws, 2 cwt. 1 qr. 21 lbs., Peerbhoy Khimjee; 54 bundles Sharkfins, 16 cwt. 3 qrs. 5 lbs., 52 bundles Fishmaws, 16 cwt. 15 lbs., Somjeebhoy Visram; 12 bundles Sharkfins, ¼ qr., 13 bundles Fishmaws, 4 cwt. 7 lbs., Peerbhoy Damjee; 194 chests M. Opium, 140 lbs. each, P. and D. F. Cama and Co.; 50 chests M. Opium, 139 lbs. each, Dorabjee Pestonjee; 44 chests M. Opium, 140 lbs. each, Remingtou and Co.; 13 chests M. Opium, 140 lbs. each, Meer Saussoon Moosy; 30 chests M. Opium, 140 lbs. each, Eduljee Framjee and Co.

For Shanghae.

Steamer *Lancefield.*—18½ chests M. Opium, 140 lbs. each, Meer Saussoon Moosy; 4 chests M. Opium, 140 lbs. each, P. and D. F. Cama and Co."

Steamer *Lancefield.*—2 boxes Sundries, Esmail Ahmud Moonsy.

For Calcutta.

Steamer *Behar.*—1 case Book, J. Wasewdewjee.

STATIONS OF H. M.'s INDIAN NAVY.

450	Ajdaha, 20 (flag-ship), Frushard	... Bombay.
24	Sawaree, 10 (paddle), Adams	... England.
204	Assyria, 6 (paddle), Forster	... Out of Commission.
946	Auckland, 6 (paddle), Drought	... Persian Gulf.
	Berenice, 2 (paddle), Holt	... Bombay.
664	Berenice, 2 (paddle), Holt	... Bombay.
499	Chennab, 2 (paddle), Walton	... River Indus.
320	Clive, 14 (sloop), Lloyd	... Bombay.
200	Clyde, 3 (screw gun-boat), Mitchison	Bombay.
206	Comet, 2 (p gun-boat), Collingwood	River Euphrates.
158	Constance, 3 (schoonse), Cookson	... Aden.
1926	Coromandel, 4 (screw), Bathurst	... Andaman Islands.
262	Dursetjee, (3rd) Shaw	... River Indus.
1022	Dalhousie, (screw), Hopkins	... Bombay. (in dock)
387	Elphinstone, 12 (sloop), Etheridge	... Persian Gulf.
90	Emily, 2 (schooner), Evans	... Madras.
274	Ethersley, (fist), McLaren	... River Indus.
235	Euphrates, (survey ship), Williams	... Out of Commission.
495	Falkland, 12 (corvette), Fraser	... Bombay.
1458	Feroze, 13 (paddle), Tronson	... Calcutta.
610	Fury, 2 (paddle), Marsh	... River Indus.
215	Goolanar, (paddle yacht), Nacoda	... Bombay.
90	Georgiana, J. B. Bewsher, 2 (tender)	Persian Gulf.
610	Havelock, 2 (paddle), Davies	... River Indus.
800	Hugh Lindsay, Wood	... Persian Gulf.
	Hornet, Dayman, (S. Sloop)	... Bombay.
822	Indus, 2 (paddle), Tickle	... Seals.
	Jhelum, 2 (paddle), Peck	... River Indus.
151	Keddy warry, (flat)	... Guard Vessel, Kurrachee.
	Koiree, (flat), O'Brien	... River Indus.
700	Lady Canning, 2 (paddle), James	... Adamun Islands.
200	Lady Falkland, (paddle), Tarleton	... Bombay.
157	Mahi, 3 (schoonar), Gardinar	... Aden.
167	Marie, (schooner)	... Bombay.
445	Napier, 2 (paddle), Stevenson	... River Indus.
49	Nerbudda, (schooner)	... Karrachee.
204	Nimrod, 2 (paddle), Moffett	... River Indus.
610	Outram, (paddle), Neal	... River Indus.
335	Planet, 1 (paddle), Fletcher	... River Indus.
140	Pleiad, (screw), White	... Bombay.
1246	Prince Arthur, (screw), Walker	... Bombay.
800	Punjaub, 10, Foulerton	... England.
208	Raven, (flat), Ridge Williams	... River Indus.
335	Satellite, 1 (paddle), Harrison	... River Indus.
950	Semiramis, 3 (paddle), Worley	... Zanzibar.
610	Sir Henry Lawrence, 2 (paddle), Jones	River Indus.
40	Snake, 1 (paddle), Rogers	... Bombay Harbour.
258	Tigris, 5 (brigantine), Dyer	... Persian Gulf
705	Victoria, 4 (paddle), Chitty	... Sedaseewhur.
1008	Zenobia, 9 (paddle), Cruttenden	... Aden.

VESSELS IN BOMBAY HARBOUR.

[*e.l.* signifies "coumenced loading."]

FOR LONDON.

658	Agricola—Merwanjee Nusserwanjee.	(c. l. Jan. 18)
501	Caroline Agnes, Ovenstone—Forbes & Co.	(c. l. Jan. 21)
980	Eliza Cowie, Cowie—Wm. Nicol & Co.	(c. l. Jan. 15)
820	Minerva, Merrymann.—Bemington & Co.	(c. l. Jan. 31)
740	Ramillies, Wright—Campbell Mitchell & Co.	
629	Seafield, Mackay—D. H. Cama & Co.	(c. l. Jan. 16)
391	Vernon, Cone—Wallace & Co.	(c. l. Jan. 29)
848	Vittoria, Tate—Peel, Cassels & Co.	(c. l. Feb. 3)

FOR LONDON VIA KURRACHEE.

1112	Her Majesty, G. F. Seymour—Leckie & Co.	
1477	Robert Lowe (s), Congleton—W. Nicol & Co.	(c. l. Jan. 28)

FOR LIVERPOOL.

1023	Agenoria, P. John

Births, Marriages, & Deaths.

No notice of a Domestic Occurrence can be inserted unless authenticated by the name and address of the sender.

BENGAL.

BIRTHS—

At Calcutta, on the 2nd February, the wife of George Edwin South, Esq., of a son.

At Baseandpore Zillah, Bhangulpore, on the 31st Jan., the wife of Mr. W. M. Barton, E. I. R., of a daughter.

At Cossipore, on the 2nd Feb., the wife of Mr. G. Young, of a daughter.

At Burdwan, on the 28th Jan., the wife of Mr. Stuart Hogg, c. s., of a daughter.

At Jubbulpore, on the 30th Jan., the wife of Major R. Rankin, Madras Staff Corps, of a son.

At No. 6 Free School Street, on the 1st Feb., the wife of T. Buttanshaw, Esq., of the late 28th B. N. I., of a son.

At Calcutta, on the 20th January last, Mrs P. M. Kilgour, a son.

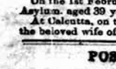
DEATH—

On the 1st February, Mrs. M. White, Matron, Bhowanipore Asylum, aged 39 years.

At Calcutta, on the 30th January, of typhoid fever, Sarah, the beloved wife of Mr. J. A. S. Clarkson.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

OVERLAND MAIL.



THE Overland Mail per P. and O. Co.'s Steamer, will be closed on THURSDAY, the 27th February, at 4 o'clock P. M. An After Packet will be kept open on payment of the usual Fee of 8 annas (which must be prepaid by Stamps), until 5 o'clock P. M. No Registered Letters will be received for the After Packet.

POSTAGE:

Weight under	*Vid Marseilles.*	*Vid Southampton.*
½ ounce.....	Rs. 0 6 0	.....
½ "	0 8 0	Rs. 0 4 0
1 "	0 14 0	.....
1½ "	1 0 0	0 6 0
2 "	1 2 0	0 8 0

CHINA MAIL.

The Post Office Packets for CEYLON, PENANG, SINGAPORE and HONGKONG, per P. & O. Co.'s Steamer will be closed on FRIDAY, the 28th February, at 6 o'clock P. M. A Packet for late Letters will be kept open on payment of the usual fee, until 7 A. M. on the 28th February.

Letters, &c. for AUSTRALIA will be despatched by this opportunity.

SIND MAIL.

The mails for KURRACHEE AND SCINDE, per steamer, will be closed 12 hours after the arrival of the next Overland Mail.

THE MAILS FOR KURRACHEE AND CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.

The mails for KURRACHEE AND CAPE OF GOOD HOPE, per steamer "ROBERT LOWE," will be closed THIS DAY, FRIDAY, the 14th instant, at 5 o'clock P. M.

DATES OF DEPARTURE OF MAILS FOR SUEZ AND CHINA DURING THE YEAR 1862.

To SUEZ AND ENGLAND		To GALLE AND CHINA.	
February	27th.	February	1st.
March	12th, 27th.	March	14th, 29th.
April	12th, 27th.	April	14th, 29th.
May	12th, 24th.	May	14th, 29th.
June	12th, 27th.	June	14th, 29th.
July	12th, 27th.	July	14th, 29th.
August	12th, 27th.	August	14th, 29th.
September	12th, 27th.	September	14th, 29th.
October	12th, 27th.	October	14th, 29th.
November	12th, 27th.	November	14th, 29th.
December	12th, 27th.	December	14th, 29th.

CALENDAR—FEBRUARY 1862.

Full Moon ..... Friday 14d. 9h. 57.8m. P. M.
Last Quarter ..... Friday 21d. 7h. 5.6m. P. M.
New Moon ..... Friday 28d. 0h. 46.5m. P. M.

Days.	Dates.	Sundays, Festivals, &c.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets.	High Water at Bombay. Morn.	High Water at Bombay. Even.	Bombay Time.	Time Ball drops.
			h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	
Fri.	14	St. Valentine	6 36	6 50	11 16	11 37	12	1
Sat.	15		6 36	6 50	11 46	12 15	12	1
Sun.	16	Septuagesima Sunday.	6 36	6 51	...	0 21	12	1
Mon.	17		6 36	6 51	0 52	1 10	12	1
Tues.	18		6 36	6 51	1 26	1 54	12	1
Wed.	19		6 37	6 51	1 58	2 18	12	1
Thur.	20		6 37	6 51	2 30	2 42	12	1

CHRONOLOGY OF REMARKABLE EVENTS.

Friday, 14th.—Battle of St. Vincent, 1797.—Battle of Hydrabad (Scinde), 1843.

Saturday, 15th.—Capt. Cook killed, 1778.—Goddard took Ahmedabad, 1780.—Treaty of Lahore, 1846.

Sunday, 16th.—Amboyna taken, 1796.—Colombo capitulated.

Monday 17th.—Bills of Exchange first used in England, 1661.—Battle of Meanee, 1843.

Tuesday, 18th.—Martin Luther died, 1546.—Victory of Admiral Blake, 1652.

Wednesday, 19th.—Galileo born, 1564.—Candy taken 1815.—Peace with the Burmese Empire, 1826.

Thursday, 20th.—Surrender of Hydarbad (Scinde), 1843.

ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

Undelivered Messages in the Bombay Government Telegraph Office, on the 13th February, 1862.

Ashburner, Bell & Co.
Soondaram Rowjee.
Avoopchund Mullookchund.
Goolamhooseinkhan Vulud Allee Mahomedkhan.
Bhutcooly Mahomed Thuckersey.

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LATEST DATES RECEIVED IN BOMBAY.

ENGLAND	18 Jan.	CEYLON	31 Jan
FRANCE	20 Jan.	CHINA	14 Jan
MALTA	22 Jan.	SINGAPORE	22 Jan
ALEXANDRIA	23 Jan.	PENANG	24 Jan
SUEZ	27 Jan.	CALCUTTA	5 Feb
ADEN	2 Feb.	MADRAS	8 Feb
MAURITIUS	16 Jan.	N. W. PROVINCES	8 Feb
CAPE	10 Dec.	SCINDE—KURRACHEE	8 Feb
AUSTRALIA	24 Dec.	PUNJAUB	20 Jan
BANGALORE	7 Feb.	RANGOON	25 Dec

WE received yesterday papers from Calcutta of the 5th instant, from Madras and the North-West Provinces of the 8th, and Poona of Wednesday last.

THE P. and O. Co.'s Steamer *Behar*, Captain G. S. Brooks, which leaves our harbour this day at 9 A. M., for China, &c., carries on board six hundred and sixty-eight and a half chests of Malwa Opium, and the following passengers:—

For Galle—Lieut. Anderson.

For Madras—Six Privates of H. M.'s 43rd Foot.

For Calcutta—Mr. S. Gladstone; Schoolmaster Jones, and four natives.

For Sydney—Captain Dickinson; Mr. and Mrs. Warloud and two children; Mr. G. Findlay and five Privates of Bombay Horse Artillery.

For Hongkong—Mr. Anderson; Mr. Southerland and Mr. Cates.

For Shanghai—Mr. Chamberlain.

THE following Passengers will proceed to England to-morrow by the steamer *Robert Lowe*:

Mrs. and Miss Jefferies; Mrs. Connel; Mr. Tamplar; Captain C. W. Willis, 33rd Regiment; Lieut. L. S. King, 56th Regiment; Lieut. P. G. Therloch, 72nd Highlanders; Lieut. J. J. Bacon, 95th Regiment; Lieutenant Grant, 91st Regiment; Assistant Surgeon Sharpe; Ensign E. H. Ward, and one hundred time-expired men.

DR. B. P. ROOKE, M.D. has withdrawn his resignation of the service, and is now allowed a furlough to Europe for one year, on medical certificate.

CONSEQUENT on the retirement of Colonel Swanson, Major Shaw is confirmed in the appointments of Examiner of Commissariat Accounts and Superintendent of Army Clothing; and Major Leckie in that of Agent for Clothing the Army.

THE following additional passengers by the steamer *Malta*, were omitted in our list of arrivals by the last Mail.

Mrs. Kirkbride and two children.

THE *Englishman* gives it as a report that there are to be further offers by Sir Charles Wood made to induce "a large number of superfluous and unemployed officers of the late Company's armies to retire."

IN justice to Mr. Mackintosh, to whom we and our readers have often been indebted for valuable Telegrams and general mercantile intelligence, we ought to have mentioned in the paragraph in our paper of yesterday upon Telegrams, that those which we published as that gentleman's on Monday were actually seen by our Manager before they were published. No reflection upon Mr. Mackintosh's good faith, therefore, was intended by us, nor would such reflection be justified, we are quite sure, by any act of his.

WE regret to observe that the Honorable Mr. Laing still continues indisposed. At the last meeting of the Council of the Governor General, held on the 5th instant, he was unable to attend.

GOVERNMENT have ruled that staff allowance, &c., is to be passed to all officers of disbanded Regiments for the period (not exceeding three months) during which the disbandment of their corps was in progress, and the accounts, &c., were being made up.

THE following paragraph on Cotton is from Brown, Buckley and Co.'s circular, dated London 18th January:—

COTTON.—"The animated demand and excited state of this market at the latter end of last week have been succeeded by an almost complete suspension of demand; 1400 Bales Surat have been sold, generally at a decline of ¼d to ⅜d ℔ lb. For arrival, 900 Bales Tinnevelly and 500 Bales Surat have been sold. The Liverpool market has been quite inactive, and prices have given way, Surat ¼d to ⅜d ℔ lb, and American ¼d to ⅜ ℔ lb. The sales for the week are 38,000 Bales."

THE following is a Statement of Cash Balances in the Government Treasuries in India at the close of the month of December last, contrasted with that of the previous years:—

	1859 Dec.	1860 Dec.	1861 Dec.
Govt. of India.....	Co.'s Rs. 4,48,17,933	Co.'s Rs. 3,38,10,696	Co.'s Rs. 5,06,38,548
" Bengal	1,26,20,588	1,47,32,448	1,77,05,918
" N. W. P.	2,41,47,351	2,85,73,530	3,27,46,704
" Punjaub	1,80,36,917	1,17,67,939	1,13,97,476
" Madras	1,68,22,209	1,11,66,950	1,86,00,668
" Bombay.....	3,09,10,439	2,51,75,806	3,96,45,800
Total...	14,73,55,437	12,52,25,869	17,07,38,114

THE health of the town continues to improve there not being nearly so many deaths during the past week as during the previous weeks. The official mortuary report for this period shows the number of deaths to be 338, being 19 fewer than the preceding week, but 48 above the average of the past ten years. There have not been so many deaths from cholera as during the previous week, there being only 51 deaths from that epidemic. The deaths from fever were higher being 161; from measles one. From diseases of the nervous, vascular, respiratory, alimentary and sexual organs there were 14, 2, 29, 52 and one deaths respectively. There were 24 deaths from cachexy and debility, and one from leprosy. The casualities from accidents and violence amounted to two. In order of caste, the deaths may be classed as follows:—Hindoos 213, Mahomedans 95, Parsees 11, Native Christians 10, Indo-European one, Europeans 3 and Negro Africans 5.

THE correspondent of the *Times*, writing from Washington on the 28th December, says:—It is believed that in a fortnight or earlier Generals Rosecranz and Reynolds will move forward from Romney on the right, while McLellan advances on Manassas, and Burnside turns up somewhere on the right flank of the Confederates in Virginia." There certainly are some indications of a movement on the part of the Federal army. Whether, when the struggle comes, it will verify the words of General McLellan, that it will be a bloody one, but cannot be a long one, remains to be seen. Although there is a distinction with a real difference between an army and a mass of armed men, the Federal Army is at this moment the largest in the world in armed men. The number of men actually under arms is 661,000, a much greater number than any European power possesses on field or in barracks, and larger than any European power, excepting France, has even upon paper. This enormous force is maintained and furnished, not by the people of the United States, but by not very greatly more than one-half of that people. Taking the population of the Northern States at eighteen millions, every thirtieth person, or nearly every seventh man, even making no account of maritime operations, is engaged in the actual work of war. Nothing like so large a draught on the resources of the country is made by other nations, although maintaining a war establishment. "Great Britain never brought under arms such a number of men even in her direst need, and when fighting almost single handed against the world. Nor is so vast an army to be seen even in Austria, with double the population of the Northern States of America, and all but a comparative fraction of that population made up of alien and hostile races. Neither in Russia, with nearly four times the population, with that population semi-barbarian, with a military system of Government, and with several chronic wars." The cost of the Federal Army in direct outlay, according to the Secretary of War, is about £60 per annum per man, which implies a total of about thirty-nine and a half millions sterling. Moreover, the Secretary of the Navy reports the cost of that Department for the present year at sixty millions of dollars, or more than twelve millions sterling, which is more than the expenditure on the British Navy even at its present unprecedently high rate, although the Federal Government cannot be said to have a single enemy on the sea. "The average annual expenditure for the British Army, Navy, and Ordnance in the fourteen years ending with 1814, during which we were engaged in the most tremendous struggle in history, was forty-five and a quarter millions sterling: The Northern States of America, engaged in a war carried on at their own doors and against a section of their ex-fellow-citizens, have already far transcended that sum. But the direct expenditure in pay and munitions falls farther short in America than in any other country of representing the whole cost. The army of the Northern States is composed for the greater part of men the abstraction of whom from their ordinary employments is a greater loss to themselves and to the community than would be the case in any other country in the world. The Southern States have laid upon themselves burdens perhaps as great in amount, certainly greater in proportion to their means." The modern world has not seen a war more costly and exhausting. The Federal Government is now spending at the rate of four hundred millions of dollars, or more than £80,000,000 sterling a year, which is more than great Britain spent during the war with Russia, even including nearly £30,000,000 for interest on our old debt. In whatever way the civil war may end, the Federal Government will find that an item of that class has taken a permanent place in their national ledger.

In these circumstances, the suspension of specie payments by the banks is a matter of course, because a matter of both state and commercial necessity. The demand for the precious metals for the purposes of war has drained the coffers of the banks. If the issues of the banks had depended on convertibility, when the gold and silver were gone, the notes would have gone too. In the circumstances the specie is disappearing, and the country being flooded with inconvertible paper. Trade would have been brought to a stand, as well as agriculture, handicrafts, and manufactures. There was no choice in the matter, if the commerce of the country were not to undergo strangulation. One of the most remarkable things about the measure, is the manner in which it is viewed by the Americans themselves, whom it chiefly concerns. Although a short time ago they would not admit the possibility of a suspension of specie payments, it appears that, in the language of an American financier, the measure has "operated as a great relief to the public mind," and that prices of stocks have advanced as high as five and six per cent. The blame of the whole thing is cast upon the Government; and it is said that the chief reason which guided the banks in coming to the conclusion they did was to force the Government to adopt a financial policy—a scheme adequate to the emergency. The Government has heretofore mainly relied on the banks for providing it with the necessary loans; but as their whole capital was being rapidly absorbed in Government bonds liable to become greatly depreciated, they have now thought it high time to warn the Government that it must no longer rely upon them for aid. The bankers, if this representation be true, want to force the Government to adopt without delay a system of taxation which will at least produce from thirty to forty millions sterling, which could be raised, it is said, without any difficulty. By this policy it is expected that the credit of the Government may be fully re-established, when it would be enabled to negotiate loans to an amount sufficient, with its revenue from taxation, to meet all wants. Time will show whether these expectations can be realized. The ruinous consequences which may be expected to follow from flooding the country with an inconvertible paper currency have not been fully comprehended by the American people. Once this system is pursued for a length of time, it will be impossible to restore matters to their normal condition, and it will not be surprising although these Treasury Notes should at no very distant date became utterly valueless.

Such are the facts in regard to the men and the money employed in carrying on the civil war in America. A heavy responsibility lies somewhere. We cannot think that it lies at the door of the legitimate government of the United States; but at the door of the Confederate rebels. It is the duty of a Government to punish violations of the organic law as well as those of the functional law; to punish the transgressors of the constitution as well as the transgressors of the statue law. This is precisely what the Federal Government is now doing; and it would betray the trust committed to it, if it did not do so. Had the Southern States of America proceeded constitutionally, and put the question of secession to the vote of the United States, and then acted in accordance with that vote, they would have acted rightly, and would have had the support of the world. As it is, they are in every sense of the word rebels, and ought, in the general interests of Government, to be put down. And we trust they will be put down. Mr. Russell writing from Washington says—"to the eye of faith things look promising."

It is humiliating to think that such men as Mason and Slidell can even be the occasion of disturbing the pacific relations of two such great countries as England and the United States. They are men of no character and of no calibre. We trust that the Londoners will not be so absurd as to give then an ovation on their arrival amongst them. Mr. Mason is the author of the Fugitive Slave Law; and both of the fellows, in their public life, have made an intense hatred of England their stock in trade. The London *Times* remarks:—

"Messrs. Mason and Slidell, with their two secretaries, though not so handsome and graceful as their countryman Blondin, would certainly fill the Crystal-palace if they proposed to address the visitors there on the merits of their cause. But for the benefit of the discriminating,—for the guidance of the minority that prefers at least a respectable idol, and that does not wish to throw away its confidence and applause, we may as well observe that Messrs. Mason and Slidell are about the most worthless booty it would be possible to extract from the jaws of the American lion. They have long been known as the blind and habitual haters and revilers of this country. They have done more than any other men to get up the insane prejudice against England which disgraces the morality and disorders the policy of the Union."

We know something of the antecedent public career of these men, and something of that of their master, Jefferson Davis; and we have no hesitation in saying that three greater blackguards never escaped the gallows; and it is to be hoped these will not escape. The Paris correspondent of the *Morning Post* gives the following biographical notices of the Southern Commissioners, which, he says, have been supplied to him with the assurance of their authenticity:—

"James M. Mason, the Confederate Commissioner to England, is a native of the State of Virginia, and was born in 1798. He was educated in the north, and graduated in 1818 at the University of Pennsylvania. Soon after returning home, Mr. Mason commenced the study of the law at William-and-Mary College, where the course of legal research could not not have been very arduous, as young Mason was admitted to practice two years subsequently (1820) at the Richmond bar. In 1826 he first entered political life, being elected to the Virginia House of Delegates. At the expiration of his term he declined a re-election, and was thereupon chosen a member of the National House of Representatives. In 1847 the Virginia Legislature elected Mr. Mason to the United States Senate, where he remained without interruption until his own recent withdrawal upon the 'secession' of Virginia. After the adoption of the Confederate Provisional Government Mr. Mason was sent to the Confederate Congress by the Eighth district of Virginia. In the United States Mr. Mason has never been considered a man of brilliant intellect, but he held the position of chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs in the Senate, and was well informed on all subjects connected with the foreign relations of the American Government. John Slidell, the Confederate Envoy to France, is a few years older than his colleague, and is a native of the State of New York. His father was a prosperous tradesman of the city of New York. In early life Mr. Slidell was principal in a duel. He went after this event to New Orleans, where he studied law, and was soon admitted to practice. His first appearance on the political stage was in the capacity of United States District Attorney for New Orleans, to which office he was appointed by President Jackson. He was elected a member of the Louisiana Legislature, and subsequently to the United States House of Representatives. Just previously to the war with Mexico Mr. Slidell was sent to that country as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, but returned almost immediately, his mission having failed. The State of Louisiana then chose Mr. Slidell to the United Senate, where he was always an ardent partisan of the annexation schemes tending to the absorption of Cuba, Mexico, Nicaragua, &c. He was a principal 'backer' of the notorious Walker and his horde of filibusters, and, while Mr. Pierre Soulé held the seat he (Slidell) had previously filled in the Senate was appointed by President Pierce Minister to Central America. Upon the nomination of Mr. Soulé to the post of Envoy to Madrid, Mr. Slidell returned to the Senate and remained there until Louisiana seceded from the Union. Mr. Slidell has always been looked upon, in the United States, as an unscrupulous politician. In the electoral compaign which resulted in the choice of Mr. Polk to the Presidency, Mr. Slidell was widely accused of having 'managed' certain election affairs which gave the vote of Louisiana to the democratic candidate. He is a man of large fortune, the principal part of his wealth having been acquired, report says, by lucky wagers on elections. In concluding this brief sketch, it may be as well to mention a rather curious fact. Mr. White, M.P., recently charged Captain Wilkes with the commission of an act which should stain him for ever with indelible infamy. This was the Commodore Wilkes who hung at the yard-arm of his vessel the son of the Secretary of the Navy for an 'alleged breach of discipline.' The 'alleged breach of discipline' was an organised mutiny on board the United States brig-of-war Somers; and the commander of that vessel, who hung Midshipman Spencer, ringleader in a plot to take the ship and turn her into a pirate, was not Captain Wilkes, but Alexander Slidell Mackenzie, brother of the Confederate Commissioner to the French Court."

KURRACHEE, *9th February* 1862.—If the reports in the Bazar can be relied on as true, there has been a fearful paper war waging for the past fortnight, between Captain Church, the Cantonment Magistrate, and the First Judge of the Small Cause Court. The redoubtable Captain, whose zeal in the protection of the pecuniary interests of all and sundry who are amenable to his authority, has, in this instance, overcome his judgment, has taken upon himself to indite, not very courteously nor deferentially, a series of lengthy communications to the Judge of the Kurrachee Small Cause Court, questioning the Court's jurisdiction over persons resident in Camp who are summoned to appear as defendants in debt cases. Had the gallant Captain perused, even cursorily, the several Sections of the Act relative to the establishment of Courts of Small Causes, he would have discovered his mistake on the subject of the amenability of Camp residents to the Kurrachee Court. Perhaps, I might have received incorrect information of the nature of the protests of Captain Church, who, in all likelihood, has questioned the Court's jurisdiction over *Camp* followers. Still the Magistrate can be excused for not inditing official letters on the subject of suits which come before the Judges of the Court for decision, as he cannot plead ignorance of the fact that the Judges are justified in refusing to attend to such representations in their judicial capacity. I am told that the matter has been brought to the notice of higher authority, and that it will eventually be submitted to the Bombay Government in the executive department for final disposal. There cannot be a shadow of a doubt but that the Cantonment Magistrate will get the worst of it for having unnecessarily troubled the Small Cause Court Judges with interminably lengthy officials about a point which a simple reference to the Act, to which I have alluded, would have convinced him was explicit, and admitted of no dispute. The whole affair originated out of a case in which a person, a Camp follower, was the defendant; and on Captain Church receiving information of the same, he objected to the Court trying the suit on its merits. Here is a mighty controversy arising from a trivial cause! It is bruited about, that the Proprietor of the *Imperial Press* and the *Kurrachee Herald*, which latter is now no more, has serious intentions of starting another bi-weekly newspaper. When will some of our citizens learn wisdom from the past? Can any one be so foolhardy as to establish another paper when it is well known, that the City and Camp cannot support even the two existing journals? That the residents of Kurrachee are either unable, or unwilling, to support a paper above the Sind complement, has been demonstrated with incontestable surety. Yet we hear of a scheme for another bi-weekly, which as sure as I am living, will survive but a short time. I hope the ardent projector will, after a little mature consideration, abandon the idea of launching forth another paper into the already troubled ocean of Sind journalism, attending to the time-honored truism, *experientia docet*.

The Commissioner in Sind with his establishment arrived on Thursday last from the Hydrabad districts. Mr. Inverarity will leave us shortly for Bombay to take his seat as fourth member of Council, in the place of Mr. Reeves. During his rule in Sind, Mr. Inverarity had one object in view, and that object was, the amelioration of the condition of the agricultural classes of the country, and the improvement of the pleople by the introduction of schools and the appointment of experienced natives to subordinate revenue appointments. His administration has been distinguished for its rigid impartiality; and those officers who under Mr. Frere's rule, did what they liked, and loved ease, and encouraged, by their example, gross laxity on the part of subordinate offices, had to mend their business ways and manners when Mr. Inverarity came amongst us to scrutinize *their* system of conducting revenue and judicial work. Mr. Inverarity's loss will be very much regretted; as also that of Mr. Grey, the Judicial Assistant Commissioner, who introduced so many improvements in the judicial administration of Sind. I do trust that Mr. Maxwell will prove himself a worthy successor of Mr. Grey.

The Major General commanding the Sind Division, has notified, but not published in the local prints, his intention of inspecting, from tomorrow morning, everything appertaining to the Artillery stationed in Kurrachee, of which Captain Stevenson is in command. The gallant General, I am almost positive, will find nothing to call forth expressions of censure on his part, as the Barracks are remarkably clean, the Books of the Company carefully and neatly kept, and the arms and accoutrements looked after. The Hospital, too, is in excellent order: and as regards the General Mess, there is nothing to grumble at. To crown all, the men are steady, and extremely well up in equitation drill, etc. The General will, no doubt, in the course of his inspection, express himself panegyrically on observing the interior economy of the Corps; and the officer commanding the Troop will likewise be proud to receive an eulogistic address from so distinguished, keen sighted and observant an officer as Major General Cunynghame.

The Traffic Manager of the Punjaub Railway has arrived, along with some Guards; so that there is every prospect of the line being pushed on vigorously from Mooltan to Umritsur. The line from the latter station to Lahore has been completed, the distance being thirty miles. Umritsur is a large manufacturing city, and the Railway traffic will be immense when the whole line will be opened for traffic. Mr. Coats, the contractor of the Punjaub Railway, will leave shortly for Ferozepoor. A good quantity of Railway material has been forwarded to the Punjaub since my last; and more is ready for transmission by country boats.

Mr. Brunton, the Chief Engineer of the Sind Railway, has been directed to proceed to England for the purpose of affording information in a case in which Mr. Bray, the late Contractor for the construction of a portion of the Sind line, is plaintiff. Mr. Brunton's temporary absence will be regretted by all under him, as he took a great interest in the moral advancement of the Sind Railway Mechanics, no better testimony to which can be adduced than the interest he has always taken in promoting the praiseworthy objects of the Kurrachee Mechanics' Institute.

Weather rather cloudy. Febrile complaints on the decline.

The native dealers have raised the price of Tobacco in consequence of the order of the Spanish Government prohibiting the exportation from Manilla, for sale, of Tobacco leaf! what next I say?

Local News.

MR. MCCOLLUM'S CIRCUS.—We learn that in consequence of a grand and novel performance being advertised to come off to-night, a large number of seats have been already secured, and it is expected there will be a "bumper house."

THE BOMBAY THEATRE.—We understand that the Performance at the above place this evening is under the immediate patronage of Commodore G. G. Wellesley, and Mrs. Wellesley. The pieces announced are the *petite* comedy of "A COZY COUPLE," to be followed by a comediette entitled "GIVE A DOG A BAD NAME" and the farce of "A DEAD SHOT." Mr. F. Bury and Miss. M. Oliver will appear in each of the pieces. We have no doubt but that there will be, as there deserves to be, a crowded house.

THE following pieces of music will be played by the Band of the 23rd Regiment N. L. I. this evening on the Esplanade:—

MARCH.	*Kuhner.*
QUADRILLE, "Zurick"	*D'Albert.*
SELECTION, "Love spell"	*Donizetti.*
WALTZ, "Olympha Tanze"	*Lanner.*
POLKA, "The Chase"	*Kroschurtz.*
GALOP, "Bloomer"	*Bilse.*

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Statement of Traffic, Week ending 2nd Feb., 1862.

COACHING.

Number of Passengers, 44,137.

Amount	Rs.	25,167	7 3
MERCHANDIZE.			
Amount		43,327	8 7
Total...	Rs.	68,494	15 10

Corresponding Week last year. Open 350½ *Miles.*

COACHING.

Number of Passengers, 40,579.

Amount	Rs.	22,601	6 4
MERCHANDIZE.			
Amount		29,213	8 10
Total...	Rs.	51,814	15 2

TIME INTERVALS FOR MESSAGES.

THE statement gives the maxima and minima time intervals for messages received at the Bombay office from the offices at Calcutta, Madras, and Kurrachee during the twenty-four hours ending at 8 o'clock in the morning. The time intervals are deduced from the Calcutta, Madras, and Kurrachee office dates affixed to messages, and are corrected on account of difference of longitude.

12th February 1862.

In what watch.	Whence received.	Max. and Min.	Time Intervals. H.	Time Intervals. M.	Service or Private.	Words in Message.	By what Line.
From 0 till 12 hours.	Calcutta.....	Max.	42	3	P.	24	N. W. P.
		Min.	43	13	P.	16	N. W. P.
	Madras	Max.	...	10	P.	28	W. C.
		Min.					
	Kurrachee.....	Max.	12	20	P.	32	N. W. C.
		Min.	11	29	P.	18	N. W. C.
From 12 till 24 hours.	Calcutta.....	Max.	44	42	P.	31	N. W. P.
		Min.	4	3	P.	29	E. C.
	Madras	Max.	1	24	P.	26	W. C.
		Min.	1	18	P.	50	W. C.
	Kurrachee.....	Max.	4	42	P.	20	N. W. C.
		Min.	3	57	P.	22	N. W. C.

Law Intelligence.

SUPREME COURT.—PLEA SIDE.

Causes for trial this day.

33. Judoonathjee Brizruttonjee Maharaz *vs.* Cursondass Mooljee and another. (Part heard).

SUPREME COURT.—PLEA SIDE.

Twelfth day, Thursday, February 13th, 1862.

(BEFORE THE FULL COURT.)

THE MAHARAJ LIBEL CASE.

Judoonathjee Brizruttonjee Maharaj, vs. Cursondass Mooljee and another.

Mr. Bayley with *Mr. Scoble*, instructed by Messrs. Collier and Leathes for the plaintiff.

Mr. Anstey and *Mr. Dunbar*, instructed by Messrs. Acland and Prentis, for the defendants.

Their Lordships took their seats on the bench at the usual hour, when the examination of the witnesses for the defence was continued.

Mr. Narayen Dinanathjee re-examined.—I am not a follower of the Maharaj. My nephew has I believe assisted the plaintiff's case. It is well known that I was employed to translate certain documents in this case. I am a Sanscrit scholar to some extent, but I do not consider myself a first rate Sanscrit scholar. I have no doubt about the accuracy of my translations in this case. I believe in the Bhugwat Gita. I have read some of the Sanscrit dramas mentioned, but did not succeed in making them out without some difficulty. The word *lela* means play, pastime, in general, amorous sport, derivation of the word I do not know. This word occurred in a vernacular translation and that is the meaning of it. The word *ras* meant a confused noise, a circular dance as performed by Krishna and the "gopees." To the best of my recollection I never heard of the 16,000 gopees, but I have heard of the 16,000 wives of Kirishna, besides these wives there were gopees, but I think the number were not given of the latter. I recollect translating portions of other words, besides the commentary. I have seen a picture of the circular dance of *ras lela*, but the picture shewn to me does not represent that dance. Not being a follower I was nevertheless admitted to the temple where the Maharaj was. I went there out of mere curiosity. It was an open room, the people were waving the lights, and they seemed very anxious to see the image. The throwing of gulal would in my opinion be a rude, uncivil and indecent act, an act shocking to modesty. Bhooka means a perfume, I do not mean to say that gulal. I think the most preferable way of worshipping a gooroo, is to worship him according to his qualifications. I have been told that the Maharaj with whom I am acquainted is a very learned man, but I believe that is an exception. As far as my knowledge goes Hindoo women do go to pay their devotions to gooroos. I have seen some females touch the feet of their gooroo. I do not know by reputation, that the followers of the Maharaj eat his leavings or drink the dirty water wrung from the cloth that covers him. Whoever invests a child with the sacred thread is considered to be the child's gooroo for the time being: if it be put on by the father of the child he would be considered to be the gooroo, but if by the priest, the priest would be the gooroo. I do not know whether the dedication vow of females is administered by any other gooroo than the Maharaj. I believe that the word Purshotum is not of the same meaning as Acharya.

Mathuradass Lovejee called and examined by Mr. Anstey.—I am a member of the Wallabhacharya sect, I am acquainted with the Brig Bashah, I have read some books relating to the Wallabhacharya sect (here the witness enumerated a number of works which he had read.) I cannot read Sanscrit or Persian. These four books (identified by the witness) belong to me, I delivered them to the defendant. I consider myself to be still learned in the doctrine of my sect and in the religion of the Hindoos. The ancient religion is contained in the books of the Veds and the Bhigunt and other books, the latter are not so ancient as the former. Idolatry is not inculcated in the Veds. In a work called "Balbud" it is stated that no one is capable of understanding the Veds. In a work called Punchjee it is stated that the Shastras are unable to explain them. In my off sect Puran Purshutom who is in paradise, Witalnathjee and his decendants are worshipped as incarnations of god, these and other names are the same as that of Maharaj, there are altogether one hundred and eight other names which are considered to be Divine names. Some of these names are applicable to the present Maharajas. The Bhattia caste, or the major part of them worship the Maharaj as gods, they also worship their portraits as gods, and repeat the individual names of the Maharaj. This godship is obtained by virtue of their birth, without any reference to their personal qualifications, whether they may afterwards turn out to be ignorant or debauched they are still looked upon as gods. The Maharajas belonged originally to the Telungu Brahmins, they have no present connection with that sect. The Maharajas are distinct and separate, the Telinga Brahmins will not eat or associate with them. The Maharajas are not considered to be preceptors to the Hindoo people generally. They only act as preceptors in some instances to children of their own sect. The vow taken at the time of dedication ran, "I have been separated from Krishna for a long time, I now dedicate my body, mind, wealth; my organs of sense, my wife, my daughters and all to Krishna." The Maharajas desire the persons who devote themselves to repeat this, and it is repeated by a women at her marriage. It is understood that the Maharaj becomes entitled to every thing and that he does as he likes with his devotees, in virtue of that devotion, so far as regards women; but all the wealth is not given, that is understood. He does commit adultery with the women. *The ras lela* has many meanings, amongst others it means sport with women and has connection with them. This picture (picture shewn to witness) represents the *ras lela*, there are many such pictures in the temples of the Maharajas. This other picture also represents the same or a similar thing.

The pictures were put in.

Mr. Bayley objected to the admission of the pictures and requested their Lordships to take a note of it.

Examination continued.—This picture is also a representation of the *ras lela* (another picture placed in the witness' hands,) and consists of naked females engaged in sports. The originals of these pictures are considered sacred by the Vyshnuvs. Bhooka is a scented powder and is used with gulal. The belief is that the true followers of the Maharajas will become goopees in a future state, and that they will share with their gods or Maharajas, in amorous sports or the *ras lela*. The Maharajas wear long hair when they worship the image, because they believe themselves to be gopees. I know a society called *Purshad Mundli*; the plaintiff presides at that society and other Maharajas likewise preside there, when they are present. I bear another name, besides my own name, "Mathoora Punth" which means that I am opposed to the practises of the Maharajas, or that I represent a sect of my own. My intention has been drawn to the malpractices, in respect to adultery and other immoralities, of the Maharajas from what I first heard from my father when a child. I began to explain to my friends that the conduct of the Maharajas were improper about ten years ago. Since that time I paid an outward form of respect to the Maharajas, but not inwardly. Measures were taken by my sect the Bhattias to put a stop to the irregularities of the Maharajas in respect to their adulterous practises by preventing the females visiting the temples at night. The Maharajas party endeavoured to counteract this movement, and I believe that it has never been carried into effect. I was absent from Bombay for some time, and on coming back I understood that there was no diminution in the adulterous practises as carried on by the Maharajas. I was present at the house of Goculdass Tejpall about eight years ago, the Maharaj was present on that occasion, and Luckmidass Khimjee went with me. Goculdass was not in the house but was in another house close by. The Maharaj was there with some women. Khutto was also there, he went into one room and I went into another. I saw two widows sitting outside, they said something to me, notwithstanding which I went on, and on opening a door I found the Maharaj Vachialajee, along with a woman; he was in the act of * * * * with her; and another woman was standing close by at the time.

Mr. Bayley objected to the admissibility of this evidence as it did not relate in any way to the conduct of the plaintiff.

Mr. Anstey replied to the objection by referring to the plea of justification.

THE COURT overruled the objection.

Examination continued.—The woman was not the lawful wife of the Maharaj. She was the wife of another man. I then paid my respects to the Maharaj as he was fastening on his dhotie. The Maharaj gave some sweetmeats to Goculdass, who had been sent for in the meantime. The women went away, Goculdass slapped one of the women on the head, Goculdass wished me to conceal what I had seen, I refused to do so and went away. There is a club in existence called the Mundli—which consisted of some of the most pious of the Wallabacharya sect. The members of that club are so considered because there is more adultery among them and they pay more respect to the Maharaj than any other portion of the sect. They take their wives with them to this meeting.

The Court rose at six o'clock, the

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